THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE C.V. RAMULU

Monday, 16th October, 2006

W.P.No.20474 of 2003

Between:

Srinivasulu and others … Petitioners

and

The Mandal Revenue Officer, Kalyandurg,
Anantapur District and another … Respondents

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ORAL ORDER:

This Writ Petition is filed seeking a Mandamus declaring the action of the first respondent in seizing groundnut seeds under Panchanama dated 6-7-2003 as arbitrary and illegal.

While admitting the Writ Petition, this Court by an interim order dated 24-9-2003 directed the respondents to release the seized stocks to the petitioners, subject to the condition of their producing relevant material before the Mandal Agricultural Officer, Kalyandurg to show that the seeds were supplied to them by the A.P. Cooperative Oil Seeds Federation Limited and also on their furnishing third party security to the value of the stock to the satisfaction of the Mandal Agricultural Officer, Kalyandurg.

Now, learned counsel for the petitioners states that pursuant to the interim orders, the stocks have already been released to the petitioners. In view of the same, nothing much survives for adjudication in the Writ Petition.

The Writ Petition is, therefore, closed treating the interim order dated 24-9-2003 as a final order in the Writ Petition and leaving liberty to the authorities to take appropriate action as per law, if any, irregularities are committed by the petitioner. No order as to costs.

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